Replace the material at page 2, lines 13-26 with the following:

There is disclosed and claimed herein polyamide compositions for welding comprising (A) an aromatic polyamide having a molar fraction of aromatic monomers among monomer components of said polyamide of at least 0.2, and having a carboxylic acid component consisting of terephthalic acid, isophthalic acid or a mixture of therephthalic acid and isophthalic acid and optionally aliphatic acid, and a diamine component of aliphatic diamine; (b) a fully aliphatic polyamide, and (C) inorganic filler, wherein the weight ratio of (A) and (B) is from 99:1 to 5:95 and the inorganic filler is present in an amount of from 5 to 60 percent by weight based on the weight of the composition.

The diamine component is preferably hexamethylenediamine or a mixture of hexamethylenediamine and 2-methyl pentamethylenediamine."

Page 4, lines 1-5, please amend as follows:

The polyamide (A) uses a carboxylic acid component which is terephthalic acid or a mixture of terephthalic acid with isophthalic acid and optionally aliphatic acid, and the diamine component preferably is hexamethylenediamine or a mixture of hexamethylenediamine with 2-methylpentamethylenediamine.

Page 4, lines 13 to 21, delete as follows:

[The polyamide composition of the present invention comprising (A) an aromatic polyamide comprising carboxylic acid component comprising aliphatic dicarboxylic acid and diamine component comprising aromatic diamine or a mixture of aromatic and aliphatic diamine, and (B) aliphatic polyamide should comprise at leas 50% by weight of (A) aromatic polyamide based on a total weight of (A) and (B) polyamide. The above described polyamide (A) and (B) are used in a weight ratio of 50:50 to 95:5. If (A) polyamide is less than 50 wt. %, tensile shear strength is low and such polyamide composition cannot be used to weld polyamide molded articles composed of two or more members.]

Page 4, lines 22, reads as follows;